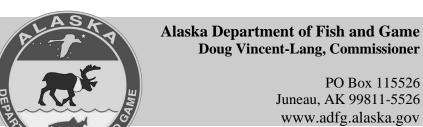
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Advisory Announcement

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KODIAK COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ADVISORY ANNOUNCEMENT # 07 For Emergency Order #4-FS-K-07-22

There will be a <u>48-hour extension</u> to the current commercial salmon fishing period from 9:00 p.m. Thursday, June 23 until 9:00 p.m. Saturday, June 25 in the following areas:

- The Outer Karluk Section of the Southwest Kodiak District;
- The Central and North Cape Sections of the Northwest Kodiak District;
- The Southwest Afognak Section of the Afognak District; and
- The Cape Alitak, Humpy-Deadman, Alitak Bay, Moser Bay, and Olga Bay Sections of the Alitak District.

The Outer Ayakulik Section of the Southwest Kodiak District will close to commercial salmon fishing at 9:00 p.m. Thursday, June 23.

The following areas will close to commercial salmon fishing at 9:00 p.m. Friday, June 24:

- The Duck Bay, Inner Kitoi Bay, Outer Kitoi Bay, and Izhut Bay sections of the Afognak District.

Closed waters are reduced in the following locations until 9:00 p.m. Friday, June 24:

- In **Kitoi Bay** to the ADF&G markers located in Little Kitoi and Big Kitoi bays (near stream #s 252-323 and 252-324).

As previously announced:

The following areas remain **open** to commercial salmon fishing until further notice:

- The Foul Bay Special Harvest Area; and,
- The Waterfall Bay Special Harvest Area.

Closed Water Adjustments:

Closed waters are **reduced** in the following locations:

- In **Foul Bay** to the stream terminus at Hidden Lake Creek (stream #251-406);
- In **Waterfall Bay** to the stream terminus at Little Waterfall Creek (stream #251-822) and to the stream terminus at Big Waterfall Creek (stream #251-821).

Fishermen are reminded that in the Kodiak Area (including the Mainland District), until further notice, Chinook (king) salmon 28 inches or greater in length may not be retained by purse seine gear in the commercial fishery and must be returned to the water unharmed.

Other closed waters are as shown on the Kodiak Area Salmon Statistical Chart and detailed in the Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations (5AAC 18.350). Statistical Charts, Harvest Strategies, and Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations are available at the Kodiak Fish and Game office. Recent salmon fishery information may be obtained by calling the Department's 24-hour record-a-phone at 486-4559.